The Story of the Man Whom Allah Watches Daily

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Chapter 1: Divine Glance and Spiritual Discipline

Passing by Pain: A Moment of Intercession

As Prophet Musa (AS) passed by a man who appeared to be suffering and in a state of great distress, he paused to observe him.

Witnessing the man’s visible agony, Prophet Musa (AS) began supplicating to Allah, asking for the man's healing and well-being.

Divine Revelation: A Clarification from Allah

Allah addressed Prophet Musa (AS) directly, revealing the true nature of the man’s condition.

His suffering, Allah clarified, was not the result of any demonic affliction. Instead, it stemmed from a deliberate act of spiritual devotion.

The Divine Message:

Allah:

"His distress is not the outcome of any influence from Iblis.

Rather, he has chosen to starve his own self for My sake, and that is why you see him in this condition. I look upon him several times each day.

O Musa! Do you marvel at his obedience to Me? Instruct him to supplicate on your behalf, for his prayers hold special significance with Me every day."